IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Title: IMIDAZOLE DERIVATIVES AS PHOSPHODIESTRASE VII INHIBITORS

REPLY

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Sir:

Further to the Request for Rejoinder filed on March 20, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.